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Roxbury Dahlia Gardens

Ross T. Dane

37 South Canton Road

EAST AKRON, OHIO

TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS:

We take pleasure in presenting you this fine list of Modern Dahlias. Many of these are imported from other countries. It is our earnest desire to procure the very best dahlias possible. Our dahlias are field grown without forcing which should assure the very best quality for either exhibition or field production. Each year we remove the rogues which have not grown well, and only offer to you those varieties which have proven reliable. It is our policy to continue to give to our customers the very best quality of dahlias that is possible. We have had a very successful year in 1935 and hope to continue so in 1936.

GENERAL TERMS OF SALE:

Prices. The prices quoted are for first class quality stock only. Every order placed with us must be as represented. Orders filled in rotation. Roots or plants received from us are guaranteed to be in good growing condition at time of delivery, true to name, and satisfactory to the buyer. If for any of the foregoing reasons the customer is dissatisfied, the goods may be returned to us and the purchase price refunded or replacements made at the discretion of the purchaser.

SHIPPING CONDITIONS:

All orders shipped F. O. B. Akron, Ohio. We will not be responsible for orders shipped by Parcel Post during freezing weather. Every precaution is taken to have the goods arrive in a satisfactory condition. Roots will be shipped any time to May 15. Plants May 1st to June 15th. Growers outside of the United States of America will secure the necessary permits for the importation of dahlias as requested. No orders sent C.O.D. Please do not send cash through the mails. U.S. Postal Money Orders are the safest way to remit.

Our green plants are grown in 3 inch pots or pots of larger size, under very cool conditions and are hardened off in cool frames ready to keep on growing and give our customers satisfaction. We have successfully shipped plants from coast to coast with very good results. Our method of shipping plants is unexcelled.

Abbreviations Used: F.D.—Formal Decorative. I.D.—Informal Decorative. S.C.—Semi-Cactus. I. C.—Incurved Cactus. Str. C.—Straight Cactus. B.—Ball or show Type. Pom.—Pomon. Min.—Miniature.

DAHLIA SOCIETIES: Keep up-to-date on Dahlias and Dahlia Culture. Join your nearest Society and Boost your Local Shows.

Dues to The American Dahlia Society \$2.00 per year, which includes four Quarterly Bulletins full of Dahlia News.

$33\frac{1}{3}\%$

Discount to trade

Dues to The Dahlia Society of Ohio \$1.00 per year.

Subscription rate to the Mid-West Dahlia News is \$1.00 per year. If you want the latest news of Dahlias in the United States and the Mid-West Shows to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, September, 1936, and National Show, Detroit, Mich., September, 1936, send your dollar to D. O. Eldridge, Editor, The Mid-West News, 170 Talmadge St., Madison, Wisconsin.

Our Own Introduction for 1936



For three years this dahlia has performed well in our gardens. During the season of 1935 we had ROXBURY'S IDEAL grown in several sections of the United States for the purpose of testing the reliability of this fine dahlia. From California, New Jersey, Kentucky, Michigan, Wisconsin, as well as its home state of Ohio have we received worthy comments on the performance of ROXBURY'S IDEAL.

Here is what Mr. D. O. Eldredge says of this fine dahlia in his roster of Meritorious dahlias for 1936 in The Mid-West Dahlia News:

ROXBURY'S IDEAL (Dane) A commercial type of a fine pink color; size 8½ to 10½ inches and a compact flower; stem 8 to 9 inches to the first leaf brackets; extra heavy foliage, very dark green, and insect resistant; height of plant 4½ feet; an early bloomer and very floriferous; flowers always facing, never on top and never an open center; will not shed petals, even in old age. Proved to be one of the most robust growers in the garden.

ROOTS \$7.50

PLANTS \$3.75

*Roxbury's Ideal - The
Ideal Dahlia for 1936*

DAHLIA SEED

Everyone who grows dahlias either for a hobby, for pastime, for recreation, or as a commercial grower, have missed many of the thrills of dahlia culture if they have not allotted at least a small portion of their garden spot to the growing of a few seedlings. No greater thrill can be derived than from watching the development of each plant into maturity and blossom. As each plant will produce a different bloom as to color and formation, you will be making several trips per day to the seedling patch to watch the developments.

But, first of all, the most essential part in growing dahlias from seed is to secure the best seed obtainable. We believe we are very fortunate in being selected by Mr. Richard W. Petrie of Gardena, California to represent and sell dahlia seed from his gardens. Trials in our gardens from Petrie's Select Dahlia Seed has proven very satisfactory to us and we believe it will prove equally satisfactory to you. This dahlia seed is plant ripened under California sunshine, delivered to us in sealed packets bearing the name of the grower, Mr. Richard W. Petrie, Gardena, California. No finer dahlia seed can be produced.

Varities grown by Mr. Petrie in his gardens during the season of 1935 and from which the seed for Spring Planting 1936 has been obtained are herewith recorded. Andre' Csizik, Allura, Altmark, Amelia Earhart, Andenken Carl Schone, America's Sweetheart, Analee McClure, Andrea Ericson, Ariane, Angelo Rossi, Arcturus, Atlantic City, Aztec Glory, Bette Davis, Betty Colter, Betty Rose Taylor, Betty Gould, Bubbles of Hillcrest, California Idol, Cameo, Cadet, Cavalcade, Challenger, Champoege, Chinese Lantern, Charlie Chaplin, Chataqua Regal, City of Cleveland, and City of Jamestown, Claron, Clara Barton, Conquistador, Crofton Black, Delwood Glorious, Dr. Joseph Scheiner, Dorothy Crowell, Dot Farley, Dwight W. Morrow, Eagle Rock Gem, Edawrd Reindfleisch, Edward G. Barnes, Eleanor Roosevelt, Elegance, Elissa Landi, Entova, Entrup's Monarch, Entrup's Sultan, Eplers Gold, Excelsior, Fanny Sandt, Farbenwunder, Frances Meadows, Frigate, Froliche Pfalz, Ft. Monmouth, Franz Berger, F. W. Fellowes, Galaxy, Gebet, Gertrude Ederle, Golden Eclipse, Golden Hoard, Goodacre's Sensation, Great Harbor, Hillcrest Fluffy Ruffles, Hillcrest Mandarin, Hillcrest Nugget, Honor Bright, Irene Anderson, Iroquois Giant, James Kirby, Juantio Menacho, Jersey's Autumn Beauty, Jersey's Beacon, Jersey's Dainty, Jean Dew, Jugendpracht, Kay Francis, Kentucky Red, Kismeth, Kurt Englehart, La Fiesta, La Reina de Los Angeles, Laurentic, Lemonia, Lilac Glory, Lyman Stewart, Man O' War, Mastodon, Mary Elizabeth Redfern, May Robson, Mary I. Reeser, Mary Seger, Mlle. Helene Moissat, Mrs. Geo. LeBoutillier, Monmouth Radiance, Mrs. Bruce Collins, Mother's Day, Monmouth Pennant, Marjorie Cole, Nira, Occuli, Palo Alto, Paul Pfitzer, Pauline Armstrong, Pauline James, R. A. Broomfield, Red Star, Renate Mueller, Royal Robe, Ruth Elder, Ruth M., Sally B., Schwerin's Wahl, Satan, Shahrazad, Silver Ray, Spotlight, Sonny Boy, Strongheart, Taurus, The Fireman, The Golden Goblin, Eugenia Ballay, Trau am Langemark, Unicum, Uranus, Virginia Club, Washington Giant, and Wenoka.

Prices of Petrie's Select Dahlia Seed are: 25 seeds, \$1.00. 50 seeds \$2.00. 100 seeds \$4.00. 500 seeds \$15.00. 1,000 seeds \$30.00. Prices of larger quantities upon request. NO SEEDS SOLD IN BULK OR BY WEIGHT.

DO NOT WAIT UNTIL PLANTING TIME TO ORDER YOUR SEED. DO IT NOW.

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Meritorious Dahlias from the Recent Honor Roll and Certificate of Merit Winners

OAKLEIGH MONARCH (HOOK).

Grow this new triple Honor Roll — Certificate of Merit Dahlia. Oakleigh Monarch is all that the name implies—a big, broad-petaled formal type that has created a sensation wherever grown and exhibited.

It is truly a beautiful color—a clear, brilliant cerise red,—quite unlike any other introduction of recent year, and the keeping qualities, for such a large Dahlia, are remarkable. By actual test, blooms of Oakleigh Monarch have kept for seven to ten days in perfect condition.

Oakleigh Monarch scored 86.9 at A. D. S. Trial Grounds, East Lansing, Mich., in 1935, and was one of the most outstanding new varieties on trial. We quote herewith part of official Trial Grounds report: "Flowering habit very good. Stems, straight and strong. Substance, excellent. Keeping qualities, splendid, long lasting. Habit of plant, heavy, vigorous growth, thick densely branching. Health, excellent. Diameter of flowers, 8-11 inches; depth, $4\frac{1}{4}$ -7 inches. Height of plant, 4-5 feet. One of the best".

In addition to an outstanding record at East Lansing Trial Ground, this remarkable new Dahlia was grown and tested by eleven unbiased and critical growers in various sections of the country who unanimously reported it as distinct in every respect. Because of its ideal stems, rugged plant growth and perfect form, size and color, a splendid future is predicted for the new Monarch of all Dahlias.

We personally saw this wonderful dahlia growing in the Trial Grounds at East Lansing, Michigan and agree with Mr. Hook that this dahlia is all that he says it is. We recommend this one to the most critical who want a show room winner in 1936.

PLANTS ONLY \$5.00

CHARMER. (Lloyd's Dahlia Gardens) (Dane) 1936. ID, 10-12 ins. x 5 ins. deep; 5-6 ft tall. Zinc orange around center, then petals of Apricot yellow, blending to maize yellow. The entire flower is overlaid with a lovely sheen of apricot yellow that glistens and reflects in the sunlight.

Those who have grown and admired Jane Cowl will surely love, even more, this offspring of that famous dahlia. While the color somewhat resembles one of the occasional light shaded blooms of Cowl, Charmer throughout the season, maintains its pleasing color which we have never seen marred by even a trace of dark flushes or streaks.

Naturally large blooms are held facing on long, stiff but not too heavy or too light stems. The numerous long curled petals twist in a most enchanting manner and when fully open on the bush the back petals nearly touch the stem.

The plant growth is ideal—strong, vigorous and rugged even under adverse conditions. We grew it five feet tall back on the high spot in our field with only the

"A Dahlia in Every Garden in 1936"

rains of summer for moisture. Under irrigation it grew six to seven feet high and was among the earliest to produce exhibition blooms which were continuous till frost. Leathery dark green insect resistant foliage adds to the beauty of this charming dahlia. Good root maker and propagator.

Received Certificate of Merit (Scoring 85) at the American Dahlia Society Trial Grounds at Storrs, Conn. 1934. Scored 86 at the Ohio Valley Dahlia Association Trial Grounds, Fleischmann Botanical Gardens, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1935. Attracted much attention in 1935 at the New York Botanical Gardens, (Bronx) New York City where it was grown among dahlias from all over the world, in Director Howe's famous Dahlia Border.

Tested and made good in New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Virginia, Michigan, Ohio & Washington.

We feel sure that a dahlia which has made good in the different soils and climatic conditions encountered in these widely scattered states will certainly prove a welcome and reliable addition to your garden .

Roots \$10.00

Plants \$5.00

LYMAN STEWART (*Petrie-Dane*) A Giant dahlia of Coral orange color. Growth of bush 5½-6ft. Very Robust, insect resistant foliage, very good stems. This is one dahlia that will draw the visitor's to your garden. No garden will be complete without it. .. Roots \$10.00 Plants \$5.00

CHALLENGER (*Watkins-Chappaqua*) One of the outstanding baskets at the New York Show. This basket won as the best Cactus or Semi-Cactus, also won as the best Red Semi Cactus in the color classes. The color is a brilliant Cardinal Red with gold at base of the petals, and late in the season the flower shows petaloides of gold. The plant is a nice grower with clean, open foliage, and the blooms are carried on long, strong stems well out of the foliage. Plants \$2.50

PRACHTKERL (*Werner*) A giant yellow Semi-Cactus variety with excellent stems. Good foliage and plant growth. This dahlia created much comment in several shows of the Mid-West and will prove even more popular in 1936. You will want this one in your garden if you want to win in the Semi-Cactus classes. Plants \$2.50

BALLEGO'S SURPRISE No doubt this variety is one of the finest novelties of the season. Pure white in color, of a cactus formation similar to the variety Frau O'Bracht. Selected for Trial at Wisley, a certificate winner at the Trial Gardens in Holland, Certificate first class Plants \$5.00

BAERNE The 1935 winner of the Silver challenge cut of the Dutch Dahlia Society. A cactus variety which undoubtedly merits this distinction

fully. Some of its first class qualities are the long stems, the beautiful form and the color, being Old Salmon-Rose. Very rich flowering.

..... Plants \$5.00

REGINA MEURER (*Werner*) Informal Decorative in formation of a creamy yellow color, wonderful flower stems and good growing habits.

..... Plants \$5.00

WHITE ABUNDANCE Winner of first class certificate at Haarlem and Amsterdam. A very massive flower of creamy white on good stems. This variety has been grown to 11½ inches in diameter. You will find this one a blue ribbon winner in many shows the coming season. ..Plants \$5.00

PINK CHAMPION A remarkable fine flower, pure pink, large, regular bloom of decorative type on long strong stems. A first class certificate winner at Amsterdam and Haarlem. Plants \$5.00

WEISSER RIESE (*Voit*) A giant pure white dahlia, informal in formation, which we are told by the introducer, has proven to be the champion white dahlia in Germany during the past season. A winner wherever shown Plants \$5.00

WELT WONDER (*World Wonder*) (*Berger*) Hugh yellow Semi-Cactus resembling a chrysanthemum in formation. Extra long stiff stems. No doubt one of the best of *Berger's* introductions. A certificate of merit winner. Plants \$3.00

SCHOENE DUESSELDORFERIN A Bi-color of exceptional merit, the color being red with white tips. Long stems. Plants \$5.00

HEILIGES FEUER (*Sacred Fire*) (*Berger*) A fine new dahlia of cherry red color of exceptional form and a good size. Plants \$5.00

GOETZ VON BELICHINGEN Giant exhibition cactus of exceptional form. The color is a velvety dark brown red. Very tight center and good stems Plants \$5.00

LAETARE Exceptional two-tone variety of glowing red, Tipped yellow. Extra long stems.
..... Plants \$5.00

PINK SPIRAL (*Bruidegom*) Semi-Cactus variety of Peach Pink with a little yellow at base. Perfect form on long wiry stems. Award of merit in Holland Plants \$3.00

AUSTRALIAN NOVELTIES OF MERIT

Plants only. Stock limited. Price \$5.00 per plant.

CONSTANCE ASHWORTH A large decorative of great merit, The large blooms being held on strong stems. Color Mauve pink. Certificate of merit N. S. W. Dahlia Society.

CROYDON JEWEL Wonderful bold dahlia of deep bronze with a peach pink undertone and salmon reverse. Perfect stiff stems.

DARCY SAINSBURY: A dahlia of immense size, prefect form and refinement. The color is purest white throughout, the blooms being deep compact and massive, with formal reflexed petals, while the depth is in correct porportion to the hugh size of the flowers. Very prolific and no forcing is required to produce large flowers. Awarded a certificate of merit by the Dahlia Society of N. S. W.

ESTELLE: A first class exhibition flower of liliac Mauve, and one that should be in every exhibitors garden. Highly recommended.

LADY MARJORIE: Wonderful dahlia of a true pink color. Size 12x6 on a perfect stem of great length. Certificate of merit by the N. S. W. Dahlia Society scoring 86 points.

MRS. ROSE FARMER: Not the largest dahlia but one of the most beautiful. The color being clear orange apricot deepening to salmon. Blooms of perfect formation and full centers on long cane stiff stems. Should be a winner on the show bench.

PLUMSTEAD BEAUTY: A magnificent formal of Heliotrope color. 10 inch blooms are produced on long stiff stems. A dahlia that will hold its own in any company. Highly recommended.

PURPLE JOY: A hugh broad petalled dahlia of Petunia Purple that holds its center right into the frost, and is in all one of the handiest decoratives that has come to us. Long stiff clean stems holding monster blooms 12 inches or more across. Easy to grow.

RIVERINA: A large rich bronze yellow. Best described as a stiff stemmed marmion. The flowers are large and stems rigid. For best results thin very lightly.

CROYDON PLAUDO: A deep and massive flower on a strong sturdy bush, with perfect stems. The color is deep buff with carmine veins on reverse of petals.

CROYDON VIDEO: White in color with long stiff stems. Good form and very large.

GILLMAN'S GLORY: A sensational variety both as to color and size. The deep well formed blooms are held erect on long rigid stems. The color is a striking red. An outstanding dahlia that should be in every exhibitor's collection.

JOYCE LAWRENCE: Here is the dahlia garden lovers have been wanting for years. It has long stiff stems that carry the blooms erect with graceful poise. Flowers of enormous size and perfect formation are all features possessed by this remarkable dahlia. In addition to these advantages, the color is one that commands attention and admiration. It is a rich deep rose suffused with lake.

LYNNESDALE SCARLET: Color reddish scarlet, which does not burn in the hottest sun. The blooms are very large and deep on long strong stems.

MR. T. T. EDWARDS: A beautiful bloom of deep, rich red. The flowers are very large, have good depth, and good substance. Stems very strong and straight. About the best of its color.

WAYVILLE BEAUTY: An exquisite pure white of largest size, great depth, and perfect formation. In spite of its enormous size the glorious blooms are carried well above the foliage on long rigid stems.

MARY SLESSOR: White Cactus variety of good size and formation.

MRS. E. R. EWINGTON: A greatly admired dahlia. The color is wine and magenta. The blooms are carried out of the bush on upright stiff stems.

SORDELLO: Large sulphur yellow flowers on very long cane-like stems. A beautiful variety that stands up well in all weather.

AMELIA EARHART (*Cordes-Eastman*) A giant Semi-Cactus of apricot buff color, winner of many prizes. Roots \$2.50 Plants \$1.25

WORTHWHILE EXHIBITION DAHLIAS

- ANDREA ERICSON I.D. A giant white dahlia of exhibition type. Considered by many to be the best white dahlia of American introduction.
..... Roots \$1.50
- ARMADA M.D. Richest velvety crimson in color the flowers being of neat reflexed form. Plants flower freely and have a wiry erect habit.
..... Roots \$2.00
- ANALEE McCLURE I.D. A giant dahlia of pure white color. Plants \$3.00
- BETTE DAVIS S.C. Deep Violet Rose color. A champion dahlia and a winner in the perfect bloom and Semi-Cactus classes. Plants \$2.50
- CALIFORNIA IDOL I.D. The best yellow dahlia introduced in 1935. Hugh blooms on the best of stems. Winner of many prizes during the past season and surely a winner again this season in the giant gloom classes. Plants \$5.00
- CHARLIE CHAPLIN I.D. Massive blooms of deep gold shading to a bronzy center. Flowers have great depth and are carried on long stiff stems. Exceptionally strong grower. A fine exhibition variety Roots \$5.00 Plants \$2.50
- CORNELIA BRYCE PINCHOT I.D. Giant blooms of a maroon color on the best of stems. Heavy foliage and a robust grower. Plants \$2.50
- CORALLINA C. Coral red with violet glow, bronzy center, enormous bloom on long strong stem. Plants \$2.00
- CHINESE LANTERN I.D. Chinese red with a gold reverse. Rugged grower. Plants \$2.50
- CLARA BARTON I.D. A gorgeous dahlia of good size. Depth and color. Bright lavender shaded orchid. Strong cane like stems hold the flower facing. Robust grower. Plants \$2.50
- DOROTHY CROWELL I.D. Lavendar pink to lighter at center. Wavy petals. Long stems straight and rigid. Plants \$2.50
- DR. JOSEPH SCHEINER S.C. Soft lilac blended with white. Very good stems and a robust grower. Roots \$1.50
- DEUTCHE SAAR C. A seedling of Frau O' Bracht. The large flowers are pale yellow to white, broad curled petals, excellent stems and habit. Plants \$2.50

- EDWARD G. BARNES I.D. A large decorative of the massive type; The flowers being broad but curling prettily at tips and forming the largest flowers both deep and wide. Very good stems. Color, cream at center to pure white.
..... Roots \$5.00 Plants \$2.50
- ENTRUP'S MONARCH F.D. Cherry red on white ground. Large blooms on good stems.
..... Plants \$2.00
- ENTRUP'S SULTAN I.D. Large flowers of Carmine red on cane like stems. Plants \$2.00
- EXCELSIOR I.D. Hugh blooms of Terra Cotta. Very vigorous growth with heavy insect resistant foliage. Good stems. Roots \$1.00
- ELINOR W. RADELL I.D. Tall robust grower and a good garden variety. Color, old rose.
..... Roots \$1.50
- ELEGANCE S.C. Center and tips of the petals yellow, body of the flower glistening coral. Full deep flower with ideal habits. Plants \$1.75
- FRAU O'BRACHT C. Pale primrose flower of good size. A very popular flower and many times a winner in the show room. Roots \$.75
- FARNCOTT I.C. Violet purple with white tips. Still winning many prizes in the Cactus classes
..... Roots \$.50
- FRANK MILLER F.D. Giant blooms of golden yellow with some blooms showing a tinge of scarlet in the center. Very good for garden or exhibition. Roots \$.50
- FRAU MARIE KIPKE S.C. Vivid orange tipped yellow. Good stems Plants \$2.00
- FROLICHE PFALZ I.D. One of the most beautiful bi-colored dahlias we have ever seen. The color is Burgundy red with white tips. A very attractive flower. Plants \$1.00
- GOLDEN STANDARD I.C. Immense blooms of light buff on wonderful flower stems. A consistent winner in the shows during the past season in the Cactus classes. Has all the good growing habits of its parent Jane Cowl. Plants \$2.50
- GOLDEN GOOSE F.D. Flowers of golden buff color. While this one is not the largest it is very good for perfection of bloom. Flowers average about 9 inches in diameter. Plants \$2.00
- GOLDENES HANDWERK C. Medium sized flowers of pure gold color on good stems. Very suitable for the cut flower trade. Blooms from July until frost. One of the earliest to bloom.
..... Roots \$1.00

- GOLDEN ECLIPSE F.D. Tall growing variety of pure golden yellow. Roots \$1.00
- GIRL OF HILLCREST I.D. Beautiful flowers of golden autumn shade. Good stems. Very robust grower. Roots \$.50
- HUNT'S VELVET WONDER I.D. Color, rich bright violet burgundy. A real giant dahlia in every respect. Plants \$2.50
- HILLCREST MANDARIN I.D. A giant exhibition dahlia of red and white, overlaid with golden yellow. Strong grower and a good root maker. Roots \$.75
- IRENE M.D. One of the best miniatures for exhibition purposes. Color, golden orange, stems perfect. Tall grower and prolific. Roots \$1.00
- JERSEY'S DAINTY Str.C. Hugh blooms of pure white on the best of stems by far the best white Cactus yet introduced by an American originator. You wil not have any regrets with this one. A prize winner wherever shown. Roots \$2.00 Plants \$1.00
- JEAN TRIMBEE S.C. Large blooms of Petunia violet color on the best of stems. Easy to grow and very insect resistant foliage. Roots \$.75
- JESSICA DRAGONETTE I.D. Massive blooms of peach color on the best of stems. robust grower. A good exhibition variety Plants \$2.50
- JERSEY'S BEACON F.D. Color, a bright chinese scarlet with a buff reflex producing a two tone effect. Heavy insect resistant foliage. A fine garden or exhibition variety. Roots \$.25
- JANE COWL I.D. Strong robust growing variety producing giant blooms of a bronzy buff color. A grand exhibition variety Roots \$.25
- JUANITA MENACHO SC. Very large deep bluish violet. Stronger grower. Plants \$1.00
- KEMPS WHITE WONDER I.D. Large white blooms of exhibition type. For longer stems we recommend using the side bud. Heavy insect resistant foliage and a good root maker... Roots \$.50
- KATHLEEN NORRIS I.D. One of the greatest prize winners of all time. Giant pink blooms on ideal stems Roots \$.50
- KURT ENGLEHART F.D. A strong grower with heavy insect resistant foliage and good stems which hold the flower perfect. A larger flower than Jersey's Beauty of a rich salmon pink color. Excellent cut flower. Roots \$1.00

- KING OF THE BLACKS I.D. One of the darkest colored dahlias to date. Very dark satiny maroon upon close inspection but from a short distance appears velvety black. Plants \$1.00
- LAURENTIC I.D. One of the best of Stredwicks introductions. Giant blooms of rich satiny pink shading to a lighter pink at the outer edge with some of the petals twisted very beautiful which adds to the already beautiful form. Good flower stems which hold the flower facing.
..... Roots \$2.00 Plants \$1.00
- LA FIESTA I.D. Giant flower of yellow with lines penciled red. Good husky grower and a fine exhibition flower. Roots \$2.00
- LILAC GLORY I.C. Very large blooms of a violet rose color. Good exhibition type.
..... Plants \$.50 net
- LA REINA DE LOS ANGELES S.C. A new color in dahlias being watermelon pink. This one is very good and is loved by all who enjoy the unusual. Plants \$2.50
- LEMONIA I.C. Giant Cactus of lemon yellow color. A fine exhibition variety which has won in a number of shows during the past season.
..... Plants \$2.50
- LUCY FAWCETT B. Here is a ball or show type flower which we believe is the best on the market Light primrose yellow with speckles of maroon which adds to the beauty of this fine flower.
..... Plants \$.50 net
- MRS. GEO. LE BOUTILLIER I.D. A fine new addition to the giant red class. Just naturally a big flower which has won many friends during the past season. Not only a grand exhibition flower but one you will be proud of in your garden in 1936. Plants \$2.50
- MURPHY'S MASTERPIECE I.D. Really and truly a giant red dahlia. Has been grown to 17 inches in diameter. Roots \$3.00 Plants \$1.50
- MAN O' WAR I.D. Here is a dahlia that we highly recommed to the most critical. For the past two seasons we have had this dahlia under cultivation. In 1934 during the dry hot summer this dahlia kept right on growing and was not bothered with insects. In 1935 drought during the early season and floods during the latter part

did not stop this fine dahlia. The color is maroon red with an occasional petal in some flowers showing a streak of gold. Highly recommended.

..... Roots \$3.50 Plants \$1.75

MARY ELIZABETH REDFERN I.D. Color a delightful shade of old rose. A dahlia with universal appeal. Very large flowers of fine form held on very long strong stems. The flowers grow well above the bush. A consistent prize winner.
..... Plants \$2.50

MAY ROBSON S.C. A very refined flower of clear pink. Classed as the most refined beauty introduced in 1934. Has all the good habits required for a grand dahlia. Plants \$2.50

MRS. RICHARD TWYFORD I.C. Beautiful red shade with yellow at base. Extra good stems and insect resistant foliage. Roots \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

MARGARET STARKE Str.C. Spinel pink in color. Medium height, Good keeper when cut.
..... Roots \$.50

MT. EVEREST I.D. Pure white flower of exhibition type. Plants grow very erect and require very little pruning to produce well. Plants \$1.00

MONMOUTH CHAMPION F.D. Large size blooms of flame color. Highly recommended both for exhibition and cut flower purpose. Roots \$.40

MONMOUTH QUEEN F.D. Pieric yellow in center with gradual shading to primrose yellow at the outer petals. Flowers 10-12 inches across on long stiff cane like stems. A robust grower.
..... Plants \$1.50

NEW GLORY S.C. Bi-Color, oxblood red tipped white. One of the best. Roots \$.75

ORIENTAL GLORY J.D. Deep gold color, extra heavy foliage and prolific bloomer.
..... Roots \$2.50 Plants \$1.25

ORINDA F.D. The tallest growing dahlia yet introduced. Large flowers of rich Mauve.
..... Roots \$.75

PASTEL GLOW I.D. Large flowers of orchid violet suffusion. Ideal habits of growth. Very popular. Roots \$.75

PRINCE OF PERSIA I.D. A giant red dahlia which still remains very popular. Excellent grower. Roots \$.75

- RED BIRD ID. Healthy Robust grower. Color, light red. Roots \$.50
- ROBT. EMMET I.D. Large flower of deep red. Medium height plants Roots \$1.00
- R. A. BROOMFIELD I.D. The large flower of Saffron orange, flushed rose, are held on ideal stems. Good growing habits and flowers of perfect formation. Plants \$1.25
- RENATE MUELLER I.C. One of the finest Cactus dahlias introduced from Germany, Large exhibition size flowers on stiff stems. Color, a light salmon rose with pale yellow center. Roots \$2.00 Plants \$1.00
- SPOTLIGHT I.D. Large flowers of sulphur yellow, Chrysanthemum type, Roots \$3.00 Plants \$1.50
- STRONGHEART F.D. Large flowers of pure vivid gold on the best of stems. Plants \$1.00
- THE COMMODORE I.D. Hugh flowers of pure yellow. The average size of the blooms is 10-12 inches. Very prolific and ideal for the garden. Roots \$.35
- VOGTLAND I.D. Color, Salmon, red, Very sturdy stems, Medium height plant. Plants \$2.50
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COLLECTION NO. 1.

12 roots Labeled, named varieties, value \$6.00 or more, our selection \$3.00

COLLECTION NO. 2.

12 Plants labeled, named varieties, valued \$12.00 or more our selection \$6.00

SPECIAL COLLECTION

100 Plants, late introductions, value \$200.00 or more our selection \$100.00

POMPON DAHLIAS

\$2.00 per dozen, our selection. Selected from the following varieties:

Belle of Springfield, Catherine, Nerissa, Prince Charming, Snowclad, Titan, Yellow Gem, Little Edith, Mary Munns, Joe Fette, Aimee, Archilles, Cardinal, Darkness, Dee Dee, Elfin, Hazel Dell, Helen Anita, Little Beeswing, Little David, Little Bobby, Sunset, Tom Thumb, Taka's Purple.

